The following is the substance of Mr Jay's letter

Chas C Torrey wrote to P C Pettibone last Dec. stating that Garrison had a great deal of influence in this State & hence it would not be safe to attack him or the Liberator openly. Mr needed a New paper, he had power the Ministry throughout the State, & the way for it to a man. Now Br Pettibone how on a full delegation onto the ann to come early prepared to stay two days meeting. have this pledged to go for the new paper & we will show the how it is done

J A Collins

P C Pettibone

Enoch C Jewett

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